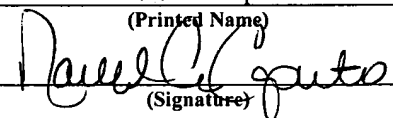




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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Matthew Patricelli
Title: PROTEIN PROFILING
PLATFORM
Appl. No.: 10/087,602
Appl. Filing Date: 3/1/2002
Examiner: Gary W. Counts
Art Unit: 1641

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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application. This RCE and the enclosed items listed below are being filed prior to the earliest of: (1) payment of the issue fee (unless a petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.313 is granted); (2) abandonment of the application; or (3) the filing of a notice of appeal to the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit under 35 U.S.C. § 141, or the commencement of a civil action under 35 U.S.C. § 145 or § 146 (unless the appeal or civil action is terminated).

1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114: (check items that apply)

a. Previously submitted:

[] Please enter and consider the amendment/reply previously filed on ____.

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- ☐ Please consider the Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s) previously filed on ___ but not considered.
- ☐ Please consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on ___.
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- ☒ Amendment/Reply.
- ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s).
- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement.
- ☐ Form PTO-1449 with copies of ___ listed reference(s).
- ☒ Copies of references disclosed in the Amendment and Reply Under 37 CFR 1.111, submitted on November 26, 2004.

Miscellaneous:

- ☐ Suspension of action of the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c) for a period of ___ months.

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Respectfully submitted,

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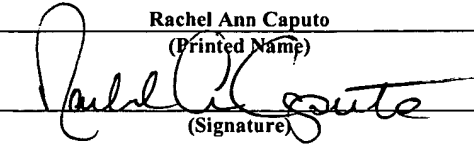
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AMENDMENT AND REMARKS TO ACCOMPANY REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

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Sir:

In conjunction with the accompanying Request for Continued Examination, please consider the following Amendments and Remarks which are responsive to the Final Office Action dated January 26, 2005, concerning the above-referenced patent application.

Amendments to the Claims are included in the **Listing of Claims**, which begins on page 2 of this document.

Remarks begin on page 10 of this document.